IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

Tony L. Nelms, :

Plaintiff : Civil Action 2:08-cv-00372

v. : Judge Graham

Terry J. Collins, *et al.*, : Magistrate Judge Abel

Defendants :

ORDER

Plaintiff Tony L. Nelms, a state prisoner, brought this action alleging that defendants used aggressive force in handcuffing him and escorting him down the stairs. This matter is before the Court on Magistrate Judge Abel's May 1, 2008 Initial Screening Report and Recommendation that the complaint be dismissed for failure to state a claim.

Upon *de novo* review in accordance with the provisions of 28 U.S.C. §636(b)(1)(B), the Court **ADOPTS** the Report and Recommendation.

The Clerk of Court is **DIRECTED** to enter **JUDGMENT** for defendants. This action is hereby **DISMISSED**.

S/James L. Graham

James L. Graham

United States District Judge